GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Public Servants – Municipal Administration and Urban Development Department – Surprise check conducted against Town planning officials on the allegations of corruption and irrugularities on 04.08.2022 & 05.08.2022 in Bobbili Municipality - Departmental Proceedings against Sri Sataru Srinivasa Rao, the then Municipal Commissioner, Bobbili Municipality, Vizianagaram District, under Rule-20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991– Articles of charges - Issued.

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MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION & URBAN DEVELOPMENT (VIG.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 246 **Dated: 01-04-2025**

Read the following:-

1. From the Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau, A.P., RC.No.27/DES-VSK/2023 – S.12, dated:23.07.2024.
2. G.O.Rt.No.36, MA&UD (Vig.I) Department, dated:22.01.2025.

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ORDER:-

It is proposed to hold an Inquiry against Sri Sataru Srinivasa Rao, the then Municipal Commissioner, Bobbili Municipality, Vizianagaram District in accordance with the procedure laid down in Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991 for the alleged charges specified therein.

2. The statement of articles of charges and statement of imputations of misconduct of misbehavior in respect of which the inquiry is proposed to be held is set out in the enclosed Annexures I & II. A list of documents by which and a list of witnesses by whom, the articles of charges proposed to be sustained are also enclosed in Annexures III & IV.

3. Sri Sataru Srinivasa Rao, the then Municipal Commissioner, Bobbili Municipality, Vizianagaram District is directed to submit his Written Statement of Defense, within 15 days from the date of receipt of this order.

4. Sri Sataru Srinivasa Rao, the then Municipal Commissioner, Bobbili Municipality, Vizianagaram District is informed that an inquiry will be held only in respect of those articles of charges are not admitted. He should, therefore, specifically admit or deny each article of charge.

5. Sri Sataru Srinivasa Rao, the then Municipal Commissioner, Bobbili Municipality, Vizianagaram District is further informed that if he does not submit his Written Statement Of Defense on or before the date specified in para-3 above further action will be processed based on the material available.

6. Attention of Sri Sataru Srinivasa Rao, the then Municipal Commissioner, Bobbili Municipality, Vizianagaram District is invited to Rule 24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (conduct) Rules, 1964, under which no Government Servant shall bring or attempt to bring any political or outside influence to bear upon any superior authority to further his interest in respect of matters pertaining to his service under the Government. If any representation is received on his behalf from another person in respect of any matter dealt within these proceedings it will be

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presumed that Sri Sataru Srinivasa Rao, the then Municipal Commissioner, Bobbili Municipality, Vizianagaram District is aware of such a representation and that it has been made at his instance and action will be taken against him for violation of Rule-24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

7. The receipt of the G.O. may be acknowledged.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

S SURESH KUMAR
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri Sataru Srinivasa Rao, the then Municipal Commissioner, Bobbili Municipality, Vizianagaram District through the CDMA, A.P., Mangalagiri.
The Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration, A.P., Mangalagiri.

Copy to:

The Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau, A.P., Vijayawada.
The Director of Town & Country Planning, A.P. Guntur.
The Secretary to APVC, 5th Block, A.P. Secretariat
SC/SF(E.No:2565896)

**\\ FORWARDED BY ORDER **

SECTION OFFICER.